

[illegible]

Derek L. Dupuis

2883

[illegible]

| <b>INTERFERENCE SEARCHED</b> |                  |                 |                 |
|------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>Class</b>                 | <b>Subclass</b>  | <b>Date</b>     | <b>Examiner</b> |
| <b>385</b>                   | <b>53, 88-94</b> | <b>7/8/2005</b> | <b>DLD</b>      |
|                              |                  |                 |                 |
|                              |                  |                 |                 |
|                              |                  |                 |                 |

| SEARCH NOTES<br>(INCLUDING SEARCH STRATEGY)   |          |      |
|---|----------|------|
|   | DATE     | EXMR |
| EAST (US-PGPUB, USPAT, USOCR, EPO, JPO, DERWENT, IBM_TDB) - see search history printout | 7/8/2005 | DLD  |
| Inventor search - see attached printout   | 7/8/2005 | DLD  |
| NPL search in Science Direct Database - see attached printout                           | 7/8/2005 | DLD  |
| Consulted Brian Healy (primary examiner)  | 7/8/2005 | DLD  |
| 385/53,88-94 (text search only-see search history printout)                             | 7/8/2005 | DLD  |
|   |          |      |
|   |          |      |
|   |          |      |